

United States Steel Corporation Clairton Works 400 State Street Clairton, FA 15025

July 2, 2008

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Subject: USS Reference Number: 08-0529 ACHD Reference Number: N/A "B" Battery Igniter Flare

USS Clairton Works

## Gentlemen:

The attached form revises our report of the outage. Any questions concerning this matter should be referred to Coleen M. Davis at 412-233-1015.

Sincerely,

Makk G. Tabile

Plant Manager Clairton Works

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## NOTICE OF BREAKDOWN OF EQUIPMENT ARTICLE XXI - SECTION 2108.1

- 1. USS Reference Number: 08-0529
  ACHD Reference Number: N/A
- 2. Date & Time of Breakdown: Date: 07/01/08 Time: 0630 hours
- 3. Company Name: U.S. Steel Corporation USS Clairton Works
- 4. Specific Equipment Involved or Affected: "B" Battery Igniter Flare
- 5. BAPC Permit Number (if applicable):
- 6. Location: Clairton, PA
- 7. Nature and cause of breakdown: For safety reasons, the "B"
  Battery Igniter Flare will be temporarily unavailable for service while lifts are made to replace the bunker heat shields. The task is expected to span a 2 week period and the igniter flare will be unavailable from 0630 1500 hours during the project.
- 8. Identification of Emissions:
  - A. Type(s) (CO, NOX, SO<sub>2</sub>, Particulates, Hydrocarbons, etc.)
    No environmental impact is expected.
  - B. Toxic qualities of each type (including its qualities as an irritant, and its potential for causing illness, disability, or mortality). N/A
  - C. Amount of each type emitted (or likely to be emitted). N/A
- 9. Measures taken (or to be taken) to minimize length of breakdown and amount of emissions, including shutdown or curtailment (or why it is impossible or impractical to do so).
  The igniter flare will be available for service daily at the completion of the task.
- 10. Facility back in operation Date: Time: hours

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Senior Environmental Control Engineer Phone: 412-233-1015